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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS UMG RECORDINGS, INC.; ARISTA RECORDS LLC; LAFACE RECORDS LLC;						DEFENDANTS CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT PARRISH BROWN				
BMG MUSIC; SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT; and LOUD RECORDS LLC (b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff Los Angeles County, CA (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)					County of Residence of First Listed Defendant Cook (IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY) NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE LAND INVOLVED.					
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